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Examiner Aeder:

This communication is filed in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination and is responsive to the Final Office Communication mailed November 12, 2010. A one month extension of time is requested. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of these amendments.

The Commissioner is authorized by this paper to charge any fees during the entire pendency of this application, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-4302, referencing Attorney Docket No. EXCT-31012/US-1/PRI. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

In accordance with the procedure for Amendment Practice under 37 C.F.R. §1.121, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in a Listing of Claims that begins on page 3 of this communication.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this communication.